

**Amendments to the Specification:**

**The Paragraph beginning at Page 1, lines 2-3, just under the heading "Cross Reference to Related Applications", is to be amended as follows:**

This is a Continuation of US Application No. 09/944,399 filed on September 4, 2001, now issued Patent No. 6,652,078, which is a Continuation-In-Part of US Application No. 09/575,115 filed May 23, 2000, now issued Patent No. 6,409,323.

**The Paragraph beginning at Page 1, lines 5-32, through to Page 2, lines 1-7, just under the heading "Co-Pending Applications/Granted Patents", is to be amended as follows:**

Various methods, systems and apparatus relating to the present invention are disclosed in the following applications/granted patents filed by the applicant or assignee of the present invention.:

09/575,197	09/575,195 <u>(now abandoned)</u>	09/575,159
09/575,132, <u>(now abandoned)</u>	09/575,123	<del>09/575,148</del> 6825945
09/575,130 <u>(now abandoned)</u>	09/575,165	<del>09/575,153</del> 6813039
<del>09/575,118</del> 6987506	<del>09/575,131</del> 7038797	<del>09/575,116</del> 6980318
<del>09/575,144</del> 6816274	09/575,139	09/575,186
<del>09/575,185</del> 6681045	<del>09/575,191</del> 6728000	09/575,145
09/575,192	09/575,181	09/575,193
09/575,156 <u>(now abandoned)</u>	09/575,183	<del>09/575,160</del> 6789194
09/575,150 <u>(now abandoned)</u>	<del>09/575,169</del> 6789191	<del>09/575,184</del> 6644642
6,502,614	<del>09/575,180</del> 6622999	<del>09/575,149</del> 6669385
6,549,935	6,591,884	6,439,706
<del>09/575,187</del> 6987573	<del>09/575,155</del> 6727996	<del>09/575,196</del> 6760119
09/575,198	6,290,349	6,428,155
<del>09/575,146</del> 6785016	<del>09/575,174</del> 6870966	<del>09/575,163</del> 6822639
<del>09/575,168</del> 6737591	09/575,154	09/575,129
<del>09/575,124</del> 6830196	<del>09/575,188</del> 6832717	<del>09/575,189</del> 6957768
09/575,162	09/575,172 <u>(now abandoned)</u>	09/575,170
09/575,171	09/575,161	6,428,133
6,526,658	6,315,399	6,338,548
6,540,319	6,328,431	6,328,425
<del>09/575,127</del> 6991320	6,383,833	6,464,332

6,390,591	<del>09/575,1527018016</del>	6,328,417
6,322,194	<del>09/575,1776382799</del>	<del>09/575,1756629745</del>
6,409,323	6,281,912	6,604,810
6,318,920	6,488,422	<del>09/575,1086795215</del>
09/575,109	<del>09/575,1106859,289</del>	6,290,349
<del>09/575,1736712452</del>	6,416,160	6,238,043
<del>09/575,1196958826</del>	<del>09/575,1356812972</del>	09/575,157 (now abandoned)
<del>6,554,4596553459</del>	<del>09/575,1346967741</del>	<del>09/575,1216956669</del>
<del>09/575,1376903766</del>	<del>09/575,1676804026</del>	09/575,120
<del>09/575,1226975429</del>		